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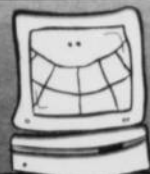
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**True colors ...**

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Dan Peters takes the time to straighten out an American flag that hangs in front of his Re/Max office in the wake of the tragedy that hit the eastern portion of the United States last week.

## COUNTY BUILDING Residents will have their say on new County building

by Richard Westlund  
Review Editor

County Council approved a decision at a special meeting last week to put the question of a new administration building to the people.

In a 5-1 vote, Council approved to put the issue to a referendum and further decided on the question that will be asked.

The question will be same that County ratepayers have been signing under on a petition that has been circulating through the County. The petition will be presented to Council on Sept. 26 during their regular meeting.

"Should Mountain View County proceed with construction of a new administration building?" is the question that County residents will have the opportunity to answer at the polls in October.

Because the County made the decision themselves to go ahead with putting the question to the people the results of the ballot will not be binding towards a final Council decision. Many Councillors though felt that strong public pressure will influence the next Council to make the appropriate decision.

It was revealed by Councillor Dave Derksen, when County was debating whether they should approve a question before approving a vote or vice versa, that Councillors had spent time at a work shop debating the issue and that Council had already come to a consensus on the issue of the plebiscite.

"Council was together last week and had come to a consensus. What happened to that consensus?" he asked. "We did decide as a group that we would take this to a ballot."

Several references were made to the petition that will be presented to Council today (Sept. 26) were made at the meeting and it was the public pressure that forced Council to re-examine the issue.

"County Council called this special meeting so that the necessary advertising deadlines could be met in the event that this issue is to be put on the ballot at the upcoming municipal election," stated a press release that was run in local newspapers by the County last week.

"Information will be provided to the public regarding the administration building issue prior to the municipal election."

According to the press release it was the Reeve Ian Harvie who made the decision to go ahead with the special meeting.

Now the next step will be to get information out to those who will vote on the question.

"I guess the concern I have is that the general public does not have the same information we have," said Harvie who suggested efforts such as a mail-out to all County ratepayers outlining the County's point of view. "I don't believe the general public has the information the County does."

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## TERRORISM

# Local travel agency affected by New York events

**Situation may mirror what happened during the Desert Storm campaign, says local travel agent**

by Richard Westlund  
Review Editor

Less than a week after the terrorists hit New York and Washington and crashed a plane near Philadelphia, the various carriers in the airline industry were asking their respective governments to bail them out.

The attacks and the repercussions are going to affect the travel industry and that means that local agencies like Aurora travel may face a slowdown in business.

Myrna Watt said the situation has already affected her business as she ended up having clients stuck in other cities when air travel in North America ceased for two days.

She was busy on the phone trying to make arrangements to get clients home as soon as she possibly could. The last of

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-Myrna Watt,  
Travel Agent

those stranded in other cities arrived back last Wednesday.

"Thankfully we didn't have too many that were stranded and we finally got them all home," said Watt. "It's something that really impacted their lives and it made our work a little harder."

"People were stranded. They were trying to get on a flight that was booked over-capacity by 400 percent. But they dealt

with it."

By calling the airlines, Watt said she was able to book space for customers when planes took off. But when the airplanes were grounded she said there wasn't much anyone could do.

Meanwhile, with the uncertainty of what happens next in the United States' Infinite Justice campaign, Watt believes her industry will face a slowdown much in the same way things

slowed down during the Desert Storm campaign in the early 90's.

During that situation, Watt estimates that her business fell by about 25 per cent. She expects this situation will mirror what happened in the past.

Currently she said people that have holidays booked are still planning on going ahead with their vacations. She believes the number of new bookings will drop now.

"In my opinion, there is going to be an impact. During the Gulf War, even though the fighting was taking place so far away, there was a ripple effect

that was felt in other places in the world. People were reluctant to travel.

"It lasted for three or four months before people got back to semi-normality. I think that is going to happen again."

Watt believes the industry will rebound when the uncertainty is over.

"People will carry on. Tragically will stop some things for a while but after a while we all have to get back to normal."

Watt also said those who may be anxious about flying for a vacation may want to look at the cruiseship option.

## ECONOMY

## MLA says USA terrorist situation will impact Alberta economy

by Richard Westlund  
Review Editor

The repercussions of the New York tragedy may also include the provinces financial picture local MLA Richard Marz told Didsbury Town Council last week.

After stating that Alberta was not going to have a record surplus year, like the previous three, he said the province could be further impacted either positively or negatively.

"The 11th of September created uncertainty and we don't know how that will affect Alberta," he said.

"Depending on the actions or reactions it could have positive or negative affects (on the economy)."

"What happens tomorrow or the next day - we don't know. But this is likely to be a long term thing. It's certainly a tragedy that has affected the whole world."

And it could have economic repercussions on Didsbury as well. If the province has less money then opportunities for provincial grants and one-time funding also fade away.

And that is something Marz told Council about the economic showdown that was announced by the province before the terrorist attacks hit the eastern United States.

He said that there would be less spending on the part of the provincial government, especially in relation to the last two years.

On another note, Marz said the province has a disaster services plan in place and re-

minded Town Council that they are indeed part of it. He said the plan was implemented in the Pine Lake disaster but stated that event didn't have near the devastation the New York and Washington situations have experienced.

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## TOWN ELECTION

# The race for mayor ...

## Quantz wants to see teamwork continue

by Richard Westlund  
Review Editor

It has been teamwork that has created positive change among Didsburians over the last three years, and if Gordon Quantz is elected as mayor he wants to see that teamwork continue.

Quantz said the Council over the past three years has worked together as a team and has enjoyed the direction the Town has moved in. He said it would be beneficial if the course remained the same and that he would like to be on the next team, which will have some new faces on it.

"It was sort of an agreement Ray and I made a couple of years ago," said Quantz, answering a question about why we want to run as mayor. "He indicated that he would like to see a change and said he would step down if I were to run in his place. I think we have had a beneficial council and I would like to remain as part of the team."

Quantz said more communication is involved in the duties of being mayor and said he would be interested in taking on those challenges.

As a council there will be other challenges to address as well. Quantz said that filling Didsbury's industrial parks would be one of the challenges as well as making sure businesses are able to thrive in a town that is supportive of them.

Quantz said he has talked to many businesses over the past couple of years and has received several suggestions on the route Didsbury should take in the future.

It is also important to put downward pressure on taxes - both commercial and residential, said Quantz.

Filling the industrial lots would be the next step on one of the most significant thing the current council has accomplished, according to Quantz. He said purchasing industrial land and setting up guidelines that make it a self-supporting process, and not a responsibility of the Town, was one of the legacies the current Council will leave behind.

"The Town is not trying to turn a profit, but we need to stimulate industry and the tax base. This was probably our shining accomplishment."

Another accomplishment of the current Council, according to Quantz are



Gordon Quantz

the steps that have been taken to encourage cooperation with Mountain View County. The two local governments are having on-going talks, with an Alberta government facilitator, about how they can share resources to become more efficient for their respective taxpayers.

"I think there is great potential there," said Quantz who has been told that this is the first time two municipalities have entered into talks that were not the result of a conflict between them.

And Quantz wants to create effective communication between the Town and the ratepayers. He said that it takes a lot of time putting out fires caused by a lack of communication.

Quantz has an ambitious goal while on the campaign trail. We would like to talk to every resident in Town before the vote is held on October 15. He has been going door to door and has created pamphlets and signage to get his messages out. In addition to selling the merits of his credentials and direction, Quantz is encouraging people to vote, especially in the aftermath of what has happened in the United States. He said people need to affirm their democratic roots and need to make time to get involved in the voting process. He recognizes the race for mayor is without any major issues but hopes that the percentage of people who vote can be raised a couple of notches.

## Dorothy Moore offers a perspective to voters

by Richard Westlund  
Review Editor

Dorothy Moore is offering a perspective to Didsbury voters when they go to the polls in October to elect a new mayor.

She isn't sure if there are key issues in the upcoming elections as much as it is an opportunity to establish a mind frame for local government.

"It's not so much about what I want to change its more about the perspective I demonstrated while on Council. That's best summed up the way corporations state their goal is to enhance shareholders value. The residents of Didsbury are the shareholders," said Moore.

"With that perspective it is easy to deal with any issue as to what is the best decision."

Moore said with that in mind, anything the Town spends money on should be spent as effective as possible.

"I have been a councillor before and I feel that I have the skills that would benefit the Town," said Moore, adding that she feels items like marketing and financial marketing have become major components in local government.

Moore was a Councillor for Didsbury Town Council during the 1995 - 98 term. Currently she is an office manager for Reimer International - a local company, and is the Vice-president of the Mountain View Credit Union Board. She has chaired the Didsbury and District Hospital Task Force.

While she was in University she was on the Student Council. Despite her background she doesn't consider herself to being a political person.

"I have always looked at it as seeing a need and being able to fill it," said Moore adding that she doesn't look at her opportunity to be mayor in a different light than that.

According to Moore economic times could be tough for the Country, the Province and the Town during the coming term.

"The events of the past two weeks are destined to shape this first decade of the twenty-first century in ways we can only imagine," she said. "The world-wide economic slowdown was already poised to filter down through levels of government to our special hometown of Didsbury. It is essential that our mu-



Dorothy Moore

**"The residents of Didsbury are the shareholders."**

- Dorothy Moore,  
Mayoral candidate

nicipal government adopt fiscal policies that will further the economic health of our community and be suited to the age in which we are and will be living. It is a time for courage and effective management within the limits of our means."

Moore said there are new challenges ahead of the Town but with right direction, those problems can be solved.

"We cannot foresee what may lie ahead, but problems can be solved when differing outlooks and opinions are coordinated into a sensible plan of action. Didsbury has a wealth of people with skill and experience, and a history of coordinated effort for the betterment of the community."

So far Moore has been campaigning during the weekends and the evenings. She said she has run into old friends that she hasn't seen in years and has been enjoying the opportunity to get to know the new faces she sees in Didsbury.

"I'm not looking to do a real splashy campaign. It's the personal contact that I have always liked."

## HEALTH AUTHORITY ELECTION

## Local businessman seeks health authority seat

by Richard Westlund  
Review Editor

Grant Hemming is hoping that by being elected to the Health Authority 5 Board, Didsbury will have a say in how healthcare is delivered in the area.

The local businessman has thrown his hat into the ring and is up against Joy Eriksson Parisien from Cremona for a seat on the local board.

Hemming said a few years ago the Town came together to save the hospital. Local people made it obvious they were interested in keeping the hospital around then and Hemming is hop-

ing they still care now.

With the recent announcement by the Alberta government that health care delivery needs to be evaluated, Hemming believes nothing should be taken for granted and if the Hospital issue ever arises again it would be an advantage to have local representation on the board.

Already appointed to the board is local businessman Jim Turner.

"During the last day or two Mar has made comments about cost and it is only reasonable to believe the question will arise," said Hemming.

"The (people of Didsbury) demon-

strated that they wanted a say in the process. If they want local representation, hopefully they will turn out and vote. They said they wanted a say in the hospital at the public level. This is their opportunity."

This is the first time some members of the health authorities throughout the province have been elected.

Three members of the HA5 board will be appointed by the provincial government and six will go through the election process.

"I think it is excellent that Ralph Klein is allowing interested parties to represent people on the health boards.

It is a positive step."

Eriksson Parisien said she too will fight to keep local hospitals as they are an important part of rural communities and that everyone should have access to healthcare.

"I feel it is really important to keep the local hospitals open," she said adding that emergencies can happen anywhere and proximity is important.

Eriksson Parisien said that she was user of healthcare in the past and feels that by running she will be giving back to the system. She said people have a right to healthcare but there is a responsibility to give back to it.

# OPINIONS EDITORIAL

## Election time ... again



Richard  
WESTLUND

For the third time in about a year's time, Didsburians will head back to the polls.

Last fall Canadians elected a new federal government.

This spring Albertans elected a provincial government and on October 15 local citizens will vote for either Town or County representation, school board trustees and for the first time health authority board members.

This time the issues will be closer to home and won't have the national or provincial significance, or the limelight and constant media exposure, the other elections receive. And in past years voter turnout has been extremely low.

But to assume that voting in these elections is waste of time and effort is dead wrong.

Like the other levels of government these boards will be making decisions with your tax dollars.

People should care how their money will be spent and it is up to the people to give the government their support or to break off past support because the job wasn't done.

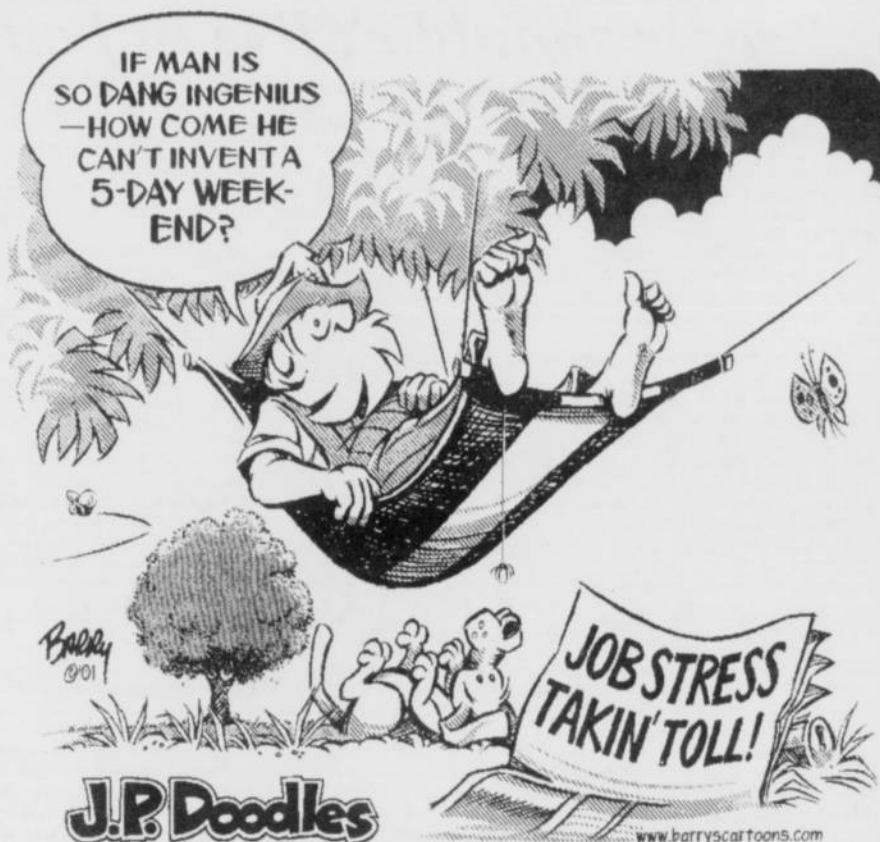
A government, at any level, is only as good as the people who vote them in demand them to be.

To go to the polls once every three years does not take an incredible amount of effort.

People who arrive in office to make the important decisions should have received an overwhelming 'yes' from the electorate.

It is extremely sad to think that a 'minority' of people who are active may choose the government they feel is best suited for the 'majority'.

Take the time to mark the necessary ballots for the municipal elections. Voting should not be a responsibility we take lightly.



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## EDITORIAL

## Alberta's heritage of direct democracy

This fall, MLAs will have an opportunity to build on Alberta's heritage of direct democracy by voting in favour of the Citizens' Initiative Act. This Act would increase accountability and improve democracy by giving Albertans the right to propose legislation on the issue of their choice, and have it voted on in a province-wide referendum. The referendum would take place at the same time as the provincial election, or province-wide municipal elections.

Alberta falls within a rich Canadian tradition of holding referendums on issues: military conscription, public health insurance, direct democracy legislation, prohibition, constitutional change, and giving women the right to vote. In addition to hundreds of municipal referendums held in towns and cities across Canada, there have been over 60 referendums at the federal and provincial levels since 1878.

From 1913 to 1958, Alberta had a Direct Legislation Act, by which 20% of the voters could petition the Legislature to pass a proposed law. The Legislature had to enact the proposed law, or submit it to voters in a binding referendum.

In 1948, Albertans voted 50.03% in favour of "the generation and distribution of electricity being continued by the Power Companies as at present," and 49.97% in favour of "the generation and distribution of electricity being made a publicly owned utility administered by the Alberta Government Power Commission." Ernest Manning's Social Credit party favoured private ownership, but promised to honour the results of the referendum, which was held the same day as the provincial election. Albertans chose to re-elect Social Credit, and also had the option of voting for or against nationalizing electricity.

Albertans voted 51% against switching to day-

light savings time in 1967, and 61% in favour in 1971. These two referendums were also held in conjunction with provincial elections, allowing Albertans to vote for the candidates and parties of their choice, and also have a direct say on a matter of concern.

In 1992 Albertans, along with other Canadians, voted on the constitutional changes proposed in the Charlottetown Accord.

Some politicians oppose citizens having the right to initiate and vote in referendums. They say "we have a referendum every four years: it's called an election." It's true that an election is a "referendum" on whether the Government Party should stay in power or be replaced by the Opposition Party. But with dozens of different issues crying out for attention during the election, voters have no opportunity to express an opinion on a specific issue. Regardless of whether you vote for a Government or Opposition candidate, you do not have the final say on any issue. When politicians ignore voter concerns on an issue, that particular issue will be drowned out in the election, because the election will be focussed on which Party will govern the province in the next four years.

The beauty of citizens' initiative is that taxpayers get the right to have a direct say on specific issues of their choice - something which elections do not give voters.

Legislation similar to the Citizens' Initiative Act was defeated in 1996 by the votes of just five MLAs. Whether or not it becomes law this fall will depend on Albertans telling their MLAs to vote in favour of this Act.

John Carpay  
Canadian Taxpayers Federation

## Wonderings of the heart

### What is Noteworthy?

by Margaret Fradley

Do we ever have the tendency to feel the work or tasks we are called to perform seem of little significance, or are less important than what we see others accomplish?

Do we sometimes feel this way as we compare ourselves to others?

Many men and women work having exciting careers; then there are those women who choose to be, or due to circumstances must be 'stay at home' moms. Some even choose to 'home school' their children and to keep up with the ordinary things of life.

The tasks and work of others always appears to be more noteworthy, but what about the seemingly less illustrious tasks of keeping up a home, the daily tasks and chores of keeping up with housework, attending to all the children's needs, making beds, cleaning up, keeping up with the washing and ironing, meals to plan, prepare and serve and dishes to be washed.

The list is endless.

Are these tasks which usually need to be done all in twenty four hours seem "less than"?

How does it sound to us?

Are these not noble tasks, are they not noteworthy, are they not truly labors of love, worthy of comment and appreciation?

We are all called to do certain things, we are all different and unique, but as we do what we are called to do, and where we are called to be, to the very best of our ability, this noteworthy.



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## OPINIONS EDITORIAL

# People shouldn't live in fear because of attacks

We feel and share the tragic loss of innocent lives last week in the USA. We trust that justice will prevail and those guilty will be brought to trial and punished accordingly.

The travel industry has also been hurt through this. As you've no doubt read or heard, airline companies have had to cut back and many people have lost their jobs.

The economic losses in the travel industry will also have a ripple affect on all of us. Tourism is a major source of income for many countries...including ours (Canada)...but especially poorer countries like Nepal.

I, for one, refuse to live in "fear" of something happening!

We have a choice. We can either live in "fear".....hold back, cut back, etc., etc., or we can live "by faith" and move on with life, move on with our jobs, family, plans for the future, etc. As a (former) mountain climber, I've been in several difficult (& dangerous) positions on a mountain.

"FEAR" screamed within! Yet to have yielded to the fear could've meant death. I had to resist the "feelings" and go with my head...and in so doing, was able

to overcome the immediate difficulty and find my route to the top!

We now face a similar situation.....to be influenced by fear/terror.....or to use our heads and move forward. May I ask you a question?

How many of your friends or family members have been killed over the past 40 years to hi-jackers, terrorism, murders, etc.?

How many of your friends or family members have been killed over the past 40 years in car accidents, cancer, heart, etc.?

I know you'll agree that we have all lost many of our loved ones to the latter. It's not a question of "dying".....that's a fact of life.....it's just a question of "when".

As a Christian, I've settled that issue and am ready. There is an old hymn that I love to sing....you may have heard it..... "I don't know about tomorrow, I just live from day to day. I don't borrow from it's sunshine, for its skies may turn to gray. I don't worry over the future for I know what Jesus said and today I'll walk beside Him for He knows what lies ahead.

"Many things about tomorrow I don't seem to understand, but I know who holds tomorrow and I know

Who holds my hand."

In faith, Mission Adventures is moving forward.....are you coming with us?

Let me close with a couple of quotes:

Helen Keller (born blind) - "Life is either a daring adventure, or nothing at all."

Chinese Proverb: - "The person who says it can not be done, should not interrupt the person doing it."

Ab Hardy: "Nothing ventured, nothing gained"

What will you choose as you face tomorrow? Will you let yourself be "terrorized" and live in fear.....or will you decide to live boldly in faith moving ahead with your plans regardless of what's happening.....regardless of how the "media" likes to make things sound/seem worse than it really is? (As much as I enjoy and respect the "media".....always remember, they too are in "sales".....selling newspapers, magazines, radio and TV air time, etc. And "bad news" sells much more than "good news"!)

Wishing you a good day, a good week, a good month, a good year and a good life regardless of what circumstances come your way.

Dino Siemens is a guide for Mission Adventures.

## From New York to Nigeria - the world can be dangerous

Dear Family and friends,

On the news after the World Trade Towers collapsed they kept talking about how Americans were no longer going to feel safe in their own country.

That's the way it is here also. There have been problems in other parts of Nigeria but the feeling was that it would never happen in Jos. Jos and Plateau State are the "Home of Peace and Tourism". We always laughed about the Tourism part of the motto but never really questioned the Peace part. Jos was always the safest place to be in Nigeria. That idea has been shattered for us and for the whole country. Tensions are high in many parts of Nigeria as a result of what happened in Jos. For those of us who are Americans it was a double whammy. Home (the US) was no longer safe either. When we are frustrated with things in Nigeria we remind ourselves that we can go home for furlough to a safe place - not any more. Add to that the fact that while we were going through our own crisis and thinking about having to evacuate, the US closed its airports so even if we had to leave here we couldn't go home.

Two ways we really saw the Lord's hand over us in Jos were that we had electricity the whole time during the rioting and the telephones worked well the whole time. We got phone calls from other parts of Nigeria and from the US. E-mail continued to

work so we had contact with many people and knew that many people were praying—very encouraging. We saw again how our security was not in governments or military but in the Lord.

Things have been fairly quiet, though we still hear a few gunshots during the night. There was a rumor yesterday that there might be more trouble after mosque so we closed school early and sent the kids home at lunch time. That was quite an ordeal, trying to call parents. We found out that our list of emergency numbers is not correct. Dan spent time trying to call families that no longer have their kids in school at Hillcrest. A lot of the numbers we did have are no longer correct, but given all the problems the last kids were gone from the school within an hour. There are definitely some procedures that need to be ironed out soon - in case of future unrest.

Today seems to be the first day that people have been allowed to collect the dead and bury them. Since we don't have funeral homes bodies are kept at the hospital until burial. We live across the road from the Plateau Hospital. There are traffic jams on every road leading to the hospital, which is not very comforting for those living nearby since in the past there has been violence when bodies are removed for burial. It seems to bring all the anger to the surface again and then people look for ways to

retaliate. Other times when people have taken the dead back to their villages in other parts of the country, the villagers have killed other villagers of the "other" religion or tribe in retaliation. One Christian is returned for burial and they kill 20 Muslims who had nothing to do with his death. Such wasteful revenge!

Now that we have packed to evacuate we know what we need to pack and can do it quite quickly. We are keeping our passports where we can get to the easily as well as travelers checks and credit cards. We actually still have ours bags partially packed and will probably leave them that way for a while.

It is amazing how little actually is irreplaceable. There are things we wouldn't want to lose, but when you have to make a decision about what to put in one bag, many things are no longer so important. Family picture and mementoes, a couple changes of clothes, important documents, our Bibles, and we are ready to go.

We still have a 6:00 p.m. to 7:00 a.m. curfew so evenings are quiet and boring. We have been watching a lot of videos.

In Christ,

Janet and Dan Snyder

Dan and Janet Snyder are former Didsburians doing mission work in Nigeria.

## Was it coincidence the date of the attacks were 9-1-1?

Nine One One

Was it just coincidence,  
That number - nine one one,  
When the Earth stood still as terror reigned  
And dark clouds hid the sun?  
Did the Lord and Father of us all  
Hang down His Head and cry  
When He saw that hate personified  
Had filled the morning sky?  
Did His Hands reach out to every soul  
As He gathered them above?  
Did His Arms enfold them deep within,  
Did He offer words of love?  
Did He kiss away each fallen tear  
And show them how to smile?  
Did a league of angels standing by  
Tell them to stay awhile?

And does He offer comfort  
To the ones who are left behind?  
Do they feel His Spirit lifting them  
As He walks there at their side?  
Do they know that He is with them  
In every anguished cry;  
That He feels the pain they suffer  
When they ask the reason why?  
Do they understand His Love for them  
Will always see them through -  
In every moment, every thought,

In all they say and do?  
That every prayer they offer  
With every passing day  
He'll walk with them and talk with them  
And guide them on their way.

Do the rescuers and volunteers  
Know that He's always there  
To help them and protect them  
In the things that they must bear?  
Can they see the Hands He's reaching out  
To every troubled call -  
In the carnage and the rubble  
That towers above them all?  
And do they know the kindness  
In each heroic act  
Is God's unending Gift of Love  
That helps them face each task?  
For the human spirit knows no bounds  
In moments of great need;  
It's always there to lend a hand  
In word, in thought and deed.

We thank You, Lord, for being there  
To lead us by the hand  
Before we act in anger  
As we try to understand  
Why there is so much hatred  
In this world of ours today;

The terror we have witnessed  
That will not go away.  
Why can't we live in peace, we ask,  
Why must we go to war?  
This isn't what we really want  
When all is said and done.  
Why does the need to take revenge  
Live in the mind of men?  
Dear Lord and Father of us all,  
Please help us live again.

Let every leader hear Your Word,  
Don't let them act in haste.  
This world we love so very much  
Cannot be laid to waste.  
Please help them stand steadfast and strong  
And not perform the act,  
A war against humanity  
From which they can't turn back.  
Lend them Your Eyes so they may see,  
Your Ears so they can hear  
That love will always conquer hate  
No matter what they fear.  
Lord, lift them up and bless them  
And help them make the choice  
So everyone will hear Your Name,  
One God, One Heart, One Voice.

Nine One One was written by former Didsburian  
Judi Whittaker

# FROM THE MAILBAG

## Restauranters give thanks to the people of Didsbury

Dear Didsbury,

Everything must come to an end. It has been a beautiful and exciting ride but it is time to say good bye to something that was very important to us and in many ways our third child.

We have grown in Didsbury in more ways than one. With a lot of work, and lots of sacrifices, this town has helped us become who we are today.

There are so many people that we would like to thank but some stand out more than others.

We would like to thank all the young men and women in this town.

The school children, the

hockey players and their families and all school activities for their support in these past 15 years. I have learned so much from these children.

For the customers that stood by us even when things might have been a bit off, thank you so very much.

For others that did nothing but talked behind peoples back just for spite and did not have the guts to come forward, well it was your loss not mine. Didsbury was and we hope that it will still remain a good town to raise your family and thrive as a business community.

Support your farmers even though they cry sometimes. I would like to take this oppor-

tunity to thank some of the very devoted families.

I have had the pleasure of seeing their children grow into very nice young men and women and some of them with children of their own by now.

The Derksen family and their three beautiful daughters. The Mullen family and their children and the newest members to Steve's family Korbyn and Jaxon.

The Dowell family and their three sons and my ever favorite Bradley. The Campbells and their new addition Emily. Yes Ross I will miss you. The Morrow family and their three children. That was the first generation

of children in Steve's.

Then came Shandra, Kate and Robbie the bacon child, Sarah and her special burger, Emily, Elizabeth, Erin and Evan (the four E's). Mitchell, Mason, Drew and my very smart three year old Samantha and her brother Justin, Noah the flirt, Coral the very stylish little girl and her very smart sister.

Also I would like to thank the McRae and Murphy families from the senior members all the way down to their grandchildren.

There is not enough room in this paper to mention everybody but I would like to remember the ones that have gone to a better place.

Rudy, Mr. Good and of course Soren whom I will love for ever.

Steve and I would like to thank you all for letting us

be part of your lives in the good times and bad.

We will miss you very much and offer you our forever gratitude for helping us become the people we are today. You cannot satisfy people all the time but if you do the best and try real hard, good things will come your way.

We will remain in Didsbury and hope to see you out there. Please don't forget to vote this October and if you think we need changes please don't hesitate to make that change.

Also to present and past staff, our ever thanks especially to Dottie and Jim for staying with us so long.

We will miss them. On behalf of our children Nicholas and Angela, thank you and God bless.

Good bye.  
Steve and Vickie Chios

## Canada must look closely at entry policies in wake of disaster

Dear Editor,

Improving entry procedures into Canada is desirable, debating whose were more inadequate, the American or ours, serves no constructive purpose.

As things stands criminals and those with communicable disease as well as terrorists are at liberty to go where they will once they make a refugee claim. They're given papers and told to report some time in the future.

Modern technologies employed in other countries, finger printing or photographing pupils\*, and checking these through international data banks, can rapidly provide efficient identification of known undesirables.

Medical examinations by federally employed health care professionals prior to release into the general population serve the interests both of

claimants and Canadians.

That "rejected claimants (as high as 50 per cent a year, i.e. an average of 15,000 a year), are not being deported, even after exhausting all appeals." "is unconscionable particularly when "due to bureaucratic inefficiency and unwillingness on the part of Ottawa to incur the costs."

By as rapidly as possible establishing "state of the art" procedures for entry into Canada, when pressure arises, as it will, for harmonization with the States they will be adopting our methods...not we theirs.

Something certainly worth incurring the cost.

Joe Hueglin



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## Volunteer Positions Available For Boys and Girls



Didsbury District Health Services is now accepting applications for the Volunteer positions. The term will run from October 2001 to May 2002. We would like to meet with the candidates and their parents before October 5th, 2001.

For an interview contact:  
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### TOWN OF DIDSBURY PUBLIC MEETINGS

• Regular Council: October 10, 2001 • Corporate Services: October 9, 2001  
• MPC: October 3, 2001 • Community Services: October 23, 2001

### NEW DEVELOPMENT PERMIT APPLICATIONS

The following Development Permits have been issued for the following proposed developments:

• DP 71-01	705 - 22 Street	Extend Fence height to 8'	R2
• DP 72-01	1301 - 1313 - 20 Avenue	Addition	R1
• DP 73-01	7 Westridge Drive	Single Family Dwelling	R1
• DP 75-01	1410 - 18 Avenue	Garage	R2
• DP 76-01	2116 - 19 Avenue	Duplex with waiver of front yard	R2
• DP 77-01	2118 - 19 Avenue	Duplex with waiver of front yard	R2
• DP 79-01	1720 - 1728 - 19 Street	Demolition & Storage Tank Removal	R1
• DP 80-01	1510 - 14 Street	Duplex	R2
• DP 81-01	1514 - 14 Street	Duplex	R2

Further information may be obtained at the Town Office, 2037 - 19 Ave. or by calling 335-3391. Persons wishing to appeal any of these decisions must do so in writing to the secretary, Development Appeal Board, prior to 4:30 p.m. on October 10th, 2001.

Robert Wigg - Development Officer



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# Thompson frustrated with Liberal terrorism position

by Carla Victor

MP Myron Thompson speculates President Bush's speech was a message to Canada's government - Canadian people are great but government is weak!

The Canadian people are receiving kudos from the American government but the fact Canada was left out of Bush's list of friends and allies in his speech to congress was a message to the Canadian Government - you have done nothing

to show support, said Thompson.

"I'm only speculating but I don't think it was an oversight, I don't think it was anything more than a message to Chretien," said a frustrated Thompson, Sept. 21.

He stated the commitment from our government is extremely weak. "We have done nothing but say we will stand shoulder to shoulder but what are we prepared to do?"

The Canadian Alliance called on the house to introduce an

anti-terrorism act that would provide legislation similar in principle to the United Kingdom's Terrorism Act 2000.

"The naming of all known international terrorist organizations operating in Canada.

"A complete ban on fund-raising activities in support of terrorism, and provisions for the seizure of assets belonging to terrorist organizations.

"The immediate ratification of the International Convention for the Suppression of the Financing of Terrorism.

"The creation of specific crimes for engaging in terrorist training activities.

"The detention and deportation to their country of origin of any people illegally in Canada or failed refugee claimants who have been linked to terrorist organizations.

Thompson said this motion and his speech to rise above political parties, as the Americans did, was well received, but still a unnamed Liberal, who asked the house to send this to a committee and have them report back to the house in February, belittled Thompson.

"He said, 'We can't react like the member from Wild Rose who would like to jump on his horse and get his posse and stamp them out.'

"I was so mad," said Thompson. "I called for a broth-

erhood of politicians, but nothing has been done." Thompson reported that our military and protection services are at such a depleted state the government would need real dedication to make a difference. "The military has been depleted from 95,000 in 1993 to 50,000 today. The U.S.A. called in their military reserves which is more than our whole army.

"We don't have experienced pilots anymore to fly the remaining planes we have; new helicopters were cancelled when the Liberals took power and the ones we have left are failing.

"We are in terrible need."

People need to phone the Prime Minister's office to demand that security becomes a higher priority with this government, said Thompson.

## IN THE COURTS

### Man followed woman's car too closely

A 38-year-old Caroline man charged with stalking a woman has had the charges withdrawn after agreeing to enter into a peace bond.

The accused had faced charges of unlawfully harassing/stalking and dangerous driving.

His trial was scheduled for Sept. 17.

However, the charges were withdrawn after the accused agreed to plead guilty to a charge of careless driving and to enter into a peace bond agreement not to contact the complainant.

The accused admitted that he followed the woman, driving at high speeds directly behind her vehicle on one occasion and trying to run her off the road on another occasion.

Judge Gilbert asked the accused, "What have you

learned?"

"I've learned that drugs and alcohol can cause a lot of problems. I feel sorry for the actions I've done," the accused replied.

Kevin Leroy Harris, 38, was fined \$1,000 on the careless driving charge.

**Man ordered to donate to charity**

A man who got into an altercation with another man in Caroline has been ordered to make a \$500 donation to a charity of his choice.

The accused was originally charged with assault causing bodily harm following the incident earlier this year. His trial was scheduled for Sept. 17.

However, on Monday he agreed to enter into a peace bond arrangement whereby he agreed to stay away from the complainant in exchange for the charge being stayed.

As a condition of the peace bond, Allan Edward Cook must make the donation by Dec. 31, 2001.

**Man wouldn't stay out of the bar**

A Bowden man who refused to stay out of the bar, despite a court order that he not drink any alcohol, has been fined.

Brian Jones pleaded guilty in Didsbury provincial court on Wednesday to two charges of failing to comply with a court order.

The accused was found in a Bowden licensed premises on July 21 and July 28, court heard.

His actions were in violation of an earlier court order imposed after Jones was convicted of uttering threats in September 2000.

"Are you a complete alcoholic?" Judge Clozza asked the accused.

"No, sir," Jones replied. "You should be going to jail," the judge said.

Jones was fined \$250 on each of the two counts.



### Student of the Year ...

Steven McMullen was named Didsbury High School's Student of the Year at an awards presentation at the school last Wednesday. The award is given on the basis of scholastic and extra-curricular achievement.

The Didsbury & District  
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The Didsbury & District  
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practice will begin  
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We wish Jean & Mark success in the future.

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# NEWS

## OLDS COLLEGE New Chair for Centre for Innovation

Jim Smith, P. Ag., of Olds is the new Chair of the Olds College Centre for Innovation (OCCI) Board of Directors. The Vice Chair is H.J. (Tom) Thompson, President of Olds College. Dr. Francis C. Yeh, a Professor and Associate Dean of Research at the University of Alberta, is also a new member of the Board.

A former Chair of the Olds College Board of Governors, Smith was founder of Mancroft Resource Consultants Ltd., which merged with EBA Engineering Consultants Ltd. in 1998. He has over 20 years of wide ranging experience as a consulting professional agrologist.

"Less than two years ago," Smith says, "OCCI was launched in response to the applied research and technology needs of our industry partners, our students and faculty. The Board is pleased with our progress to date."

"We now have a solid management team, internationally recognized researchers, a new building to facilitate our project needs and visionary support from the private and public sectors. Our applied research and value-added work in Alberta is now well underway."

H.J. (Tom) Thompson, the new Vice Chair, says, "I am pleased and excited to be a part of the Olds College Centre for Innovation Board of Directors."

"OCCI has the opportunity to make a significant applied research contribution to the world of value added agriculture and agri-food products."

"In the years ahead it is my hope that students, faculty and staff, and the aforementioned industries, will benefit greatly from the work of OCCI."

## TOWN COUNCIL Town CAO compensated for paving job

by Richard Westlund  
Review Editor

Didsbury Town Council carried a motion last week to pay Didsbury's CAO Evan Parliament \$2,327 from the 2002 budget for the Town of Didsbury's portion of the approach to his property.

Parliament made a request at the Sept. 12, 2001 meeting of the Operational Services Committee meeting for the Town to pay for the portion of the approach to his property that falls on Town of Didsbury land. Town Council followed that lead and approved the reimbursement in a 4-2 vote.

Councillors debated the issue for more than half an hour before approving the move. Some Councillors were concerned this might set a precedent down the road for other compensation.

"This is a difficult issue because we are dealing with it after the fact," said Councillor Peter Versluys, adding that he would have liked to have seen the Operational Services Committee minutes from the most recent meeting included in the meetings agenda.

The paving job took place three weeks before the meeting. Parliament maintained that what he was asking for was consistent with what his neighbours received.

"This is not a request to get Mr. Parliament's driveway paved. It's an approach off the highway to a property line."

"I am just asking for what my neighbours have received." Approaches are usually paved in these situations to deal with the elevation change off of a highway.

## CHINOOK'S EDGE Students receiving better marks in local school division

Achievement and Diploma Results for 2000-2001 prove the value of a sustained Professional Development program. By using this program, Chinook's Edge School Division (CESD) has made huge strides in its math results, especially in grade nine.

"We were excited to get our results back this year. They show us that if we use focused professional development, and combine it with opportunities for teachers to work together, great things can happen," commented Lissa Steele, Director of Curriculum and Instruction, CESD.

In 1997, approximately 57% of CESD students achieved Alberta Learning's acceptable standard, 9% less than the provincial average. Since then the Division has been steadily narrowing the gap. This year, 72.5% CESD students achieved acceptable level, only 2 percent less than the provincial average (74.5%).

The Division's Curriculum and Instruction Department is convinced CESD's sustained professional development over the last several years is responsible. "We gave teachers opportunities to share ideas about what works best. We encouraged them to examine their own practices and continually improve. We focused our training on 'active learning' or on making math a

**"They show us that if we use focused professional development, and combine it with opportunities for teachers to work together, great things can happen."**

'hands-on' experience for Students," explained Steele. "Basically we looked at what is most helpful for our students."

Steele said the Division plans to use what it has learned to improve results in other subjects, specifically on the new junior high science curriculum. And, CESD will also continue its efforts with math.

This year, it is conducting an extensive math review, and has hired a Lead Math Teacher to help the Division's math instructors in grades 10 through 12.

The Division is also pleased with its Diploma Exam Results "In six out of nine subjects, we were at or above the province's acceptable level," said Jim Gibbons, Superintendent, CESD "We're glad to see our students achieving at this level."

## Re-elect Ian Harvie Division 4

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October 15, 2001

### Ian Harvie is:

- Willing to represent the people of Mountain View
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- A family man raising 4 sons involved in Agriculture

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- Community growth by Strong Progressive Representation.
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- Fair taxation
- Monitoring fiscal policies with accountable results
- Agriculture development and preservation for our next generation



Phone Ian with questions or concerns at 335-4180

## IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT FOR SENIORS

Continuum Health Care is now accepting applications for residency in the Sunrise Village Assisted Living Complex located directly south of the Olds Hospital. There are 20 suites available for reduced rental rate based on the applicants income level and requirements for care.

### RENTAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

As a result of the Healthy Aging Partnership Initiative Funding, a reduced rental rate is available for individuals with a minimum fixed income, provided they meet eligibility requirements.

Applications for residency can be obtained directly from Sunrise Village by calling 556-3446 or 507-1799 or at 5600 Sunrise Cres., Olds, AB. Applications will be reviewed and applicants contacted beginning Sept. 24.

### SUITE CHOICES

There are several suites to choose from. Many of the larger suites are ideal for couples. Some suites are available for immediate possession.

### SUPPORTIVE CARE

Continuum Health Care in partnership with David Thompson Health Region will be providing supportive care 24 hours per day for these 20 suites. Home Care services will also be made available through the David Thompson Health Region.



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# Lifestyles

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## 70 years of service ...

Mary McCulloch, 94, receives a pin from Worthy Matron of Alberta Marjorie Neely for 70 years of volunteerism with the Eastern Star organization. McCulloch is from the local St. Hilda #27 chapter. McCulloch is the first local resident to be recognized for 70 years of service.

## Didsbury Ag. Society Notes

by Marge St. Clair

From the minutes

No report of the Cattle Show as yet  
Rodeo Reports

1. The Tractor Pull - very well attended & the same crew will organize it next year.
2. Super Dog Show - a big attraction.
3. Kids Rides - a change for next year.
4. Teen Dance - well attended.
5. Bench Fair was well attended but entries were down.
6. Howard & Laura & others can be very proud of the Float as it won 1st prize in the Olds Fair Parade and 2nd prize here. Howard & Laura also organized the Farmers Market

for the Rodeo & Fair.

Appreciation Night

Date is set for Sat. Oct. 13 at the Elks Hall with beef on a bun from 7pm - 8:30pm and entertainment to follow.

This is for all sponsors and volunteers, extra tickets are available from Connie 335-4494 by Oct. 1st.

The Elks would like to purchase the dunk tank.

Scholarships were awarded to Stacey Haeberle, Shaun Fox, and Cari-ann Viney. Congratulations all.

There has been a meeting called for Wed. Oct. 17th, all directors and members are urged to attend.

## US RETALIATION

# Didsburian deals with prospect of going to war

by Richard Westlund  
Review Editor

Jason Spreeman didn't know immediately how the events of Sept. 11, 2001 would bring him into the situation and he still is unsure if or what his role will be.

Spreeman, who graduated from Didsbury High School in 2000, is serving the United States Air Force in Goldsboro, North Carolina. He was taking a mid-morning coffee break when the attacks occurred and things at and around the base have changed since then.

At this time it is unlikely that he will be part of the movement that is going overseas for the retaliation effort eluded to by the United States government, said Spreeman.

The base he serves is a training base and would be one of the last bases in the United States that would be sent to the Middle East.

Still things have changed where Spreeman works. The base is currently on the second highest alert, Threatcon Charlie, which means there is strict procedure of entering and exiting the base. Vehicles cannot be parked within 300 feet of buildings and routine checks are done on the base.

Spreeman said the immediate response from soldiers on the base was one of anger. Like the surge of people who enlisted after the attack took place, some were anxious for duty immediately after the attacks.

"People were pretty pissed off," said Spreeman from his home on the Seymour Johnson base. "People wanted to go over right away and start bombing."

"Emotions were high, but now they are more at a standstill. People are waiting to see what will happen now."

Soon after the attacks, Spreeman and the rest of the personnel on the base were told to get their things in order. That included the writing of wills and power of attorney. Those who had put their name on a list to voluntarily be activated first were told to pack a bag. Spreeman's name is not on the list to be the first one over, but he is currently getting everything he needs to organized.

Spreeman said if he does end up being activated he would approach it as part of his job.

He said he signed the piece of paper in the beginning and he would honour his commitment.

His duty would be likely the same as his role on the base he is currently at which deals with the maintenance of the aircraft and the loading of ammunition on the planes.

"There really isn't any sense in getting worked up about it because they haven't activated me yet," said Spreeman who was recently married this summer.

"There really isn't any point in getting into a panic, but I am ready to go if they need me."

Lauren Spreeman was nervous after the attacks and was worried her new husband was going to war after the World Trade Centre and the Pentagon were attacked. Her fears have been calmed somewhat now that she has more information on the role Spreeman would play at the beginning of a conflict.

Like people have been locally, Spreeman has been following the daily developments and believes that US president George Bush has done a good job in the wake of the disaster. He said he is glad time is being taken to find out who is responsible and that he is sure the US will get the right people.

While things have changed on the base, so too have things in the Goldsboro area.

Spreeman said he had always noticed that Americans were proud of their country but even more so in the aftermath of the terrorist attacks.

He said he sees more American flags on the streets and that radio stations have played a role in getting everyone hyped about what happens next. The oldies station has been constantly playing old war songs.

"It's amazing, not at all like home. Patriotism has been bred into everyone since they were little kids."

## LIFESTYLES



## At The Kitchen Table

by  
Noreen Olson

Our Sons of Norway Board Meeting was scheduled for Sept. 14 and 15 in Missoula Montana. This meant that we should arrive in Missoula on the evening of the 13th. In light of the horrific events of September 11 a Sons of Norway Board meeting is about as insignificant as it gets but even in the face of mind numbing disaster people still have to eat, sleep, buy groceries, go to work and attend Board Meetings.

I didn't want to go at all. "It's not absolutely vital that I be there," I told Ralph. "I can email my reports and they will send me the minutes." We listened to news and road reports, "two to three hour waits at Border Crossings, total searches on both US and Canadian sides." I emailed my reports.

By Wednesday evening it was taking only half an hour to clear Customs, we had already paid the \$148.00 extra Blue Cross coverage, the weather was good, cows in a combined field so they wouldn't need feeding. We decided we had better go.

I had packed a black briefcase and a canvas bag with policy manuals, minute books and an album of pictures. I had my big purse, a book I was reading, some shirts on hangers and a suitcase for both of us. All these things were assembled near the kitchen door. Our son Mark was coming out from Calgary to check things and Ralph called him to say that we were actually going. "Don't take anything you don't need," Mark suggested, "make it easy for them at the border."

"I've taken out the black bag and your books," Ralph told me. He was referring to the black nylon bag of emergency supplies and the box of *At the Kitchen Table* books that we always carry in the Blazer. I heard him, I knew what he was talking about but somehow I translated "black bag and your books" taken out of the Blazer to "black briefcase and bag of books," taken out to the Blazer. We were just entering the Crows Nest Pass when I decided I should refresh my memory of the minutes. I looked into the back seat but it seemed pretty bare back there. I turned to Ralph, "you did put in my briefcase?" "No." "No?" "No." Each no got a little louder. "It's too late to go back," he warned me and I fought down an urge to throw up.

Well I had emailed my reports thank goodness, and the Board Secretary is a good friend whom I was sure would make me a survival kit, minutes, agenda, committee appointments etc. I guessed I would survive. An hour later I was feeling much better when I suddenly realized that the letter regarding Hotel Reservations was in my briefcase. "Dear Heaven Ralph," I whispered, "I have no idea where we are going." We looked at each other in dismay. "It had the word Inn in it," I said weakly.

Missoula has about 30 Hotels and Motels that have "Inn" in their titles. We stopped at one of the first ones and borrowed a phone book, phone and map. The Board president was at home and gave us directions to his house, the Motel and Conference Center. My reports had come through unscathed and the Secretary made me a fine survival kit. It was kind of restful really, when everyone else was scrambling through mounds of paper looking for policy procedures and membership lists I knew I didn't have any so I waited until my neighbor found hers and then read over her shoulder. I may never take my briefcase again.

We passed through Customs fairly quickly both coming and going. We needed our passports, had to get out of the car and they opened our suitcase but didn't unpack anything. There was a sniffer dog and the usual questions, officials were not rude but they were not friendly and relaxed either. It's a tense and terrible time and the World is changed forever but try to maintain some faith and hope, don't give in to hate and despair because then the terrorists will have won. Send a nice note to your American cousin, give your kid an extra hug and if you have any Muslim friends remember they are as sick about this as you are and could probably use a word of reassurance.

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by Noreen Olson

## FIRE

## Up and down the Fireman's ladder - Didsbury Fire Department

by Tyrone Patten

Writer's block! I now know what that is.

Although, in my mind, I have no talent as a writer, I sit here on the evening of September 18th not knowing where to begin.

I feel compelled to write something about the events that have taken place in the United States, but I find my thoughts and feelings difficult to put into words.

We all mourn for those that were lost - the passengers, the occupants of the buildings, the firefighters, the police, the medics - and their surviving families and friends. They are all in our prayers and will be for a long time to come.

Knowing that we must continue on by drawing on a strong faith in and hope for the future, I will move onto news of a local nature.

I would like to say congratulations to 2 of our members - Jenni and Pat. They were married on September 2nd.

Warmest wishes for a lifetime of happiness together!

The Pump A course is well underway.

Five people from Didsbury and one from Madden will be

taking their exam on September 27th.

Good luck everyone!

We've had a fairly busy month. From August 15th to September 15th we responded to 14 calls.

These were:

4 Ambulance assists; 3 Alarms, no fire; 2 Bale fires; 2 Vehicle fires; 2 Garbage pit fires; 1 Structure fire.

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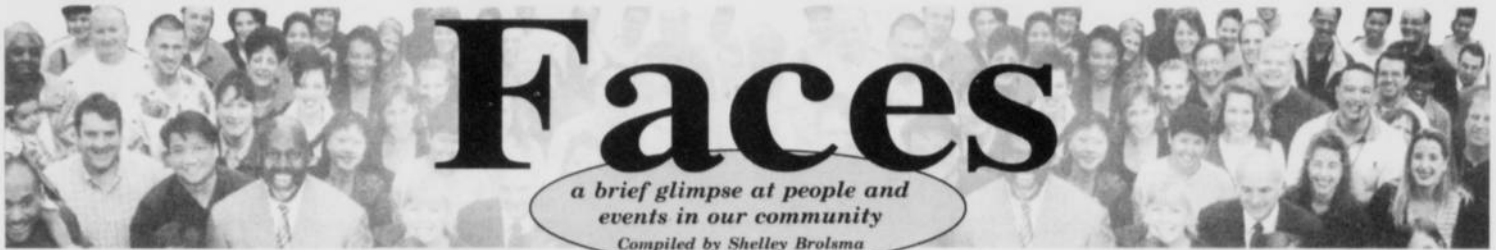
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# Faces

a brief glimpse at people and events in our community

Compiled by Shelley Brolsma

## Local restaurant Steve's Place under new ownership

Those who frequent Steve's Place Restaurant in town will notice a new smiling face welcoming them at the door.

Beginning last Monday, Jae Teskey became the new official owner of the well-known local eating establishment - a challenge that she says is most welcome in her life.

Most recently the owner of a small retail operation in Langley, Alberta, Teskey is no stranger to providing excellent customer service

and looks forward to the challenges of operating a restaurant.

"A few years ago we used to look after a restaurant in Langley before we went into the retail operation. It was very enjoyable to us. I'm looking forward to working in the restaurant industry again."

Teskey heard about the opportunity to operate Steve's Place Restaurant from one of her suppliers and, after doing a bit of research about the

business and the community, decided Didsbury would be a great community to relocate to with her family.

"People here have been so warm and friendly. Didsbury will be a very nice place to move...I'm still commuting, but as soon as we find a place to live, my family (husband David and two children ages 12 and nine) will be out."

With all the changes taking place in her personal life, Teskey is in no

hurry to make huge changes to either the menu or staff at Steve's. "We're not planning any big menu changes in the near future...maybe just adding a few items like prime rib on the week-ends or a few Korean dishes, but not anything big right away."

Teskey is keeping busy enough in the meantime focusing on maintaining the same high-caliber of service Didsburians have become accustomed to with the current staff of

about eight people. "We are also doing a bit of renovating work of the Sports Bar section of the business and hope to be open by later on in the week," she explains. "Eventually, maybe by mid-October, I would like to extend the restaurant hours to include Sunday's from 8:00 am to 8:00 pm to give people somewhere to go out for supper or lunch if they choose."

Steve's Place Restaurant is located at 2013-19th Avenue, Didsbury.



Jae Teskey

## Didsbury Golf Course will close for another year



Al McCoy

It may be hard to believe with the Indian Summer we Didsburians have been experiencing lately, but the 2001 golfing season is nearly over for another year.

"We have about two to three weeks left and then we're pretty much shut down for the season," says Golf Course Manager Al McCoy.

"...just a few smaller tournaments left to play and then our Fall Classic on September 30th. We only get a maximum of about 72 golfers in that, and that's if the weather holds."

McCoy says despite a hot, dry summer, local golf enthusiasts have had near ideal course conditions to play on

again this year. "All in all we've had a good year. We've been able to keep the course up pretty well ... our grounds crew has been working hard at making sure everything stays green and looking presentable."

But their work is far from over yet. Despite working on the course

for the past four months, most grounds crew employees are expected to remain on staff until at least the end of October. "There's always the final shut-down we do each year that's pretty standard," says McCoy. And what about the die-hards who refuse to pack their clubs away until snow-

fall? "Public access to the course will remain open," says McCoy. "People are always able to come by and swing at a few balls if they want to keep practicing."

Anyone requiring information about the Fall Classic Golf Tournament can call the Didsbury Golf Course at 335-3635.

## Reed Ranch is already into the Christmas Spirit

Families in and around the Reed Ranch district aren't going to be caught empty handed during the gift giving season this Christmas.

With less than three months to go before the big day arrives, the May City Missionary Church Ladies are already making plans for their annual Christmas Craft

Fair to be held November 3rd (1:00 pm - 3:30 pm) at the Reed Ranch School.

"This is actually the fourth year that we have been doing it and so far it's worked out pretty well," says one of the event's Organizers, Lesley-Ann Krause. "We find that if we plan this event any later in the

year, people are just too busy with all the other things going on that they can't fit it all in. Early November just seems like the best time to hold it."

"You not only see people come out from around here, but also Olds and Didsbury too...it's really a community event."

Included among the wide array of seasonal and household craft items from which to choose are also baking and canned goods, household items and, yes, even toys. "There's really a good selection of tables...enough to fill up the school gym and then some," says Krause.

Anyone wishing to

reserve a table for the event is welcome to call Lesley-Ann Krause at 556-1153. Tables are just \$5.00 with proceeds going towards the Church. Admission to guests is free.

"We hope to get a good crowd. It's just one way of bringing people and communities together," says Krause.



Lesley-Ann Krause

## New support group helps ease the pain of divorce

### Arnie Weber

Few may understand the pain associated with a divorce or separation - the hurt it causes not only a husband or wife, but also children, extended family and friends.

Experiencing divorce can be one of the most difficult circumstances to have to go through and is usually done in isolation.

That's where DivorceCare can help.

DivorceCare is a non-denominational series of support groups and seminars that teaches affected individuals how to deal with the pain of

the past and to look forward to rebuilding their future.

It is being offered at the old Zion Evangelical Church building (now known as "Home Based Books") beginning October 20th and continuing every first, third and fifth Saturday each month.

Organizer Arnie Weber anticipates the group will fill a void previously untouched in the community.

"Sometimes in spite of our best intentions, marriages do dissolve. There are many people that have experienced the hurt of separation and divorce who end up

in a lonely, isolated place without knowing how to cope with what is happening to them."

Weber first became involved with DivorceCare during his tenure in northern Alberta where he recently pastored.

"We felt that there was a need for this in that community too and became aware of the materials that were available to us through the DivorceCare program. As it turns out, it was very well received," says Weber.

Since then, Weber has moved to Didsbury and commutes to Calgary where he is currently undertaking his

**"This offers people the opportunity for discussion, information and encouragement."**

Masters in Arts and Biblical Counseling at the Providence Theological Seminary. "...one of the course requirements was to be involved with a support group. Since I have successfully run a support group on divorce in the past, and since there was a need for this kind of service in Didsbury, I decided to make DivorceCare the focus of my work."

Each session of the DivorceCare program involves a half-hour video on topics relating to divorce along with ample time for interaction with a small support group of people who are also experiencing the ramifications of divorce. "This offers people the opportunity for discussion, information and encouragement," Weber explains. "...It provides

a context for them to begin rebuilding their lives."

While admission to DivorceCare is free, donations are being accepted to help cover the cost of materials and facility rental.

"Pre-registration isn't necessary, but it would be helpful for us to know approximately how many people plan on attending," says Weber.

"Late registrations will be accepted." Anyone wishing further information on upcoming DivorceCare sessions being held in Didsbury is encouraged to give Weber a call at 335-9656.

# LIFESTYLES

## PUMPKIN FESTIVAL

# Carstairs gearing up for Pumpkin Festival once again

by Chris Puglia

In years gone by, Autumn marked a season of celebration, communities gathered to celebrate the harvest and reminisce the trials and tribulations of the year past.

In Carstairs that tradition is still alive and it is given life through the Carstairs pumpkin festival.

The annual event which is entering its 17th year brings all the best aspects of the fall season, and family fun, together for one day.

Scheduled for September 29 in the Carstairs Curling Club, starting at 8 am the festival will feature some of the biggest and best grown pumpkins in the area, - fun entertainment and the sweet aroma of an assortment of pumpkin baked goods.

Geared so all pumpkin growers may have the chance to display their wares the festival has a variety of contest categories.

Local and out of town growers compete separately in a junior and senior age category, and if you perhaps don't have the largest pumpkin in the field you may win a prize for having the most perfect pumpkin.

If your pumpkin is neither large, nor perfect don't fret, all pumpkins have a place at the Carstairs festival.

Look carefully. Maybe your pumpkin has the potential to look like a famous celebrity, a mode of transportation, a character or an aspect of your favorite fairy tale, or perhaps it is simply the oddest shape you have ever seen.

If you answered yes to one of the above your pumpkin could win in one of the novelty categories.

Of course what would a pumpkin festival be without honoring the silent, yet vital

guards of the worlds pumpkin fields. The scarecrow is an important part of the pumpkin festival and there is a jr/sr contest category for the best scarecrow

The most delicious part of the festival is the baking contest where the best recipes in the county will compete for top prize

There are categories for the best fresh or canned pie, pumpkin loaf, pumpkin cookies, pumpkin muffins, iced pumpkin cake and another category to make room for any creative recipe out there. Remember for cookies and muffins there must be six in an entry.

If growing, baking, or scarecrows aren't your thing there is plenty of entertainment throughout the day including Micheal the Magi-

cian who will dazzle with his sleight of hand. The Hoschka Honky Tonk Cloggers will be back and students of Monika with a "K" are always a musical treat. New this year is Carstairs own Hank Williams, Pete Van Tighem.

As well the reigning 2001 Carstairs Rodeo Queen and Princess will join in the festivities.

Last, but not at all least, is the highlight of the pumpkin festival the king and queen pentathlon. Open to all ages this contest features people young and young and heart, vying to be crowned festival royalty. The pentathlon promises to be a lively, fun event.

Hurry and rent your table today, they are going fast, call Louise at 337-3596 or Anne at 337-3596 or Anne 337-3555.

Hope to see you there.

## Focus on the Family



**QUESTION:** I have been teaching school for 30 years and I am noticing a significant change in the health of my children. More of them are overweight, and they just don't get enough exercise. I wonder if my observation is accurate, and if so, what is causing it.

**DR. DOBSON:** You are absolutely correct. A recent medical study conducted at Columbia Children's Hospital in Ohio has confirmed that today's children are heavier and have significantly higher cholesterol and triglyceride levels than kids did even 15 years ago.

One of the researchers, Dr. Hugh Allens, said, "Unless these trends change, 30 million of the 80 million children alive today in the United States will eventually die of heart disease. ... Kids need to turn off the TV, get off the couch and stop the nincompooping of America." The problem is that high-fat junk food has replaced good nutrition. And even when healthy foods are consumed, kids are not exercising the calories off.

Between television, carpools, computer games and hanging out at the pizza parlor, kids just don't run and jump like they used to. So Mom and Dad should find "active" activities to do together with kids, such as walking, bicycling, playing catch or hiking. They can also get their children involved in community or school sports programs, ranging from softball to soccer. Children are busy forming habits for a lifetime, so eating right and exercising every day will contribute to greater health in the future.

**QUESTION:** The children in our neighborhood are bratty with one another and disrespectful with adults. This upsets me, but I don't know what to do about it. I don't have a right to discipline the children of my neighbors, so they get away with murder. How can I deal with this?

**DR. DOBSON:** Parents in a neighborhood need to learn to talk to each other about their kids — although that is difficult to do.

There is no quicker way to anger one mother than for another woman to criticize her precious cub. It is a delicate subject, indeed. That's why the typical neighborhood is like yours, providing little feedback to parents in regard to the behavior of their children. The kids know there are no lines of communication between adults and take advantage of the barrier.

What each block needs is a mother who has the courage to say to her neighbors: "I want to be told what my child does when she is beyond her own yard. If she is a brat with other children, I would like to know it. If she is disrespectful with adults, please mention it to me. I will not consider it tattling and won't resent your coming to me. I hope I can share my insights regarding your children, too."

None of our kids is perfect, and we'll know better how to teach them if we can talk openly to each other as adults. Until this openness exists between parents living nearby, the children will create and live by their own rules in the neighborhood.

**QUESTION:** As a single mother, I'd like to leave my children with friends or relatives for a few days and get some time for myself, but I'm worried about how this might affect them. Will they feel deserted?

**DR. DOBSON:** A brief time away from your children is not likely to be hurtful — and it will probably be healthy for them, too.

One of the special risks faced by single parents is the possibility of a dependency relationship developing that will trap their children at an immature stage. This danger is increased when wounded people cling to each other exclusively for support in stressful times.

Spending a reasonable amount of time apart can teach independence and give everyone a little relief from the routine.

Therefore, if you have a clean, safe place to leave your children for a week or two, by all means, do it. You'll be more refreshed and better able to handle your usual "homework" when you return.

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Rev. Robert Mahns

Church: 335-3161 / Res: 335-3656

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Pastor John Lucas

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Home: 335-8923

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### Zion Evangelical Missionary Church

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Second Service: 11:15 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

Contact the Church regarding Bible studies, Care Groups, Teen Activities & Children's programs.

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2030 - 24th Ave. Didsbury Phone 335-3084

Mass Time: 7:00p.m. 1st Saturday

See You in Church This Sunday!



## AROUND THE CIRCLE

# Didsbury Complex will host candidates forum on Oct. 1

by Marge St. Clair

Please remember to phone Frank at 335-3824 or Newell at 335-9963 to enter the Floor Curling Season which will begin after the Thanksgiving Holiday.

## Thurs. Sept. 27

Please have your donations of non perishable foods, garden vegetables etc. etc. ready for the Lions Club members in their Annual Food Drive starting at 6:00 p.m.

Would you like to be a Volunteer at Didsbury District Health Services? The positions run from Oct. to May.

All applicants and their parents are asked to contact Volunteer Supervisor Dawna Farnya at 335-7268 before Oct. 5th for an interview.

## Sunday Sept. 30

The annual fall classic will be held today at the Didsbury Golf Course. Phone the clubhouse 335-3635 for all the details.

## Mon. Oct 1

There will be a Candidates Forum at the Didsbury Municipal Complex starting at 7 pm, with speeches from 7-9 pm and a question period to follow. Candidates will include those vying for County Council seats, Regional Health Authority #5 Board electoral division #1, and the David Thompson Health Region electoral division #4.

## Tues. Oct 2

The Didsbury Curling Club

is having registration night and a Social at 7:00 pm upstairs in the Curling Rink.

All newcomers to Didsbury and district who are curlers, or would like to learn to curl are most welcome. Come and meet the league reps., schedules, etc. etc.

## Thurs. Oct. 4

The Hospital Auxiliary will meet at 2:00 pm in the Assembly Room at the Hospital. All volunteers welcome.

## Thurs. Oct. 4

Starting tonight through to Dec. 6 from 8:30 - 10:15 pm Social & Round Dance Classes will be held at the Evergreen Hall in Olds, this is a non smoking, non alcoholic venue. Please phone 335-4296 for all

the details.

## Fri. Oct 5

The Didsbury Museum is open Fri. afternoons from 2 pm - 5 pm. Any ladies adept in stitching will be most welcome to help finish the "Millennium Quilt". Have coffee, visit and stitch. The Museum is also open Saturdays.

## Sat. Oct. 6

The Mountain View Colts will play the season opener game at the new arena in Carstairs, game time is 8:00 pm.

## Wed. Oct. 10

There will be a pot luck dinner at the 5-0 Club at 12:30 pm. Please bring a casserole or salad, the dessert is supplied. Please bring your own dishes and cutlery.



## Exchange students welcomed ...

Anna Crosby (Didsbury), Marie-Helen Dion (Quebec), Elizabeth Tremblay (Quebec) and Anni Poffenroth pose for a picture after the awards night held at the high school last week.

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## First quarter shows the value of the Heritage Fund

*Heritage Fund has been a source of provincial pride for Alberta.*

Everyone knows that our province has the Alberta Heritage Savings and Trust Fund, it has been a source of provincial pride.

But do we really know much about it? Alberta's Revenue Minister, the Honourable Greg Melchin announced first quarter results for the Fund on August 28, 2001 and the results are a reminder of just how valuable an investment this Fund has been for our province.

The Heritage Fund was started in 1976 with \$620 million of oil and gas royalties and a special contribution of \$1.5 billion. At the end of the first quarter of this 2001-2002 fiscal year, ending June 30, 2001, the Heritage Fund was valued at just over \$12 billion. That represents investment of \$4,100 for each and every Albertan.

The Fund has been used in the past to support a multitude of projects throughout our province like parks, libraries, scholarships, hospitals and other health facilities. In 1995, Albertans told the province to change the focus of the fund away from investing in projects and toward income generation.

In 1997, the fund was divided into two portfolios; the Endowment Portfolio - with the objective to maximize long-term financial returns, and the Transition Portfolio - with the objective to earn income to support the government's fiscal plan. Over time, assets in the Transition Portfolio are being transferred to the Endowment Portfolio, a transfer we expect to be complete before 2003.

In the first quarter, results for the Fund reflect the difficult economic and capital market environment all investors are suffering.

Despite this, the Endowment Portfolio still exceeded its benchmark by 0.3 percent and the Fund earned a net income of \$158 million.

The first quarter income of \$158 million was transferred to the provincial General Revenue Fund to support government spending in key priority areas and tax cuts. Not only do we continue to have a very valuable asset that is unique to our country, we also benefit on a day-to-day basis from the way it is managed.

We are indeed in an enviable position, with a multi-billion asset and a debt-free province not too far ahead.

As I said before, in 1995, Albertans told us to focus on long-term savings for the future and the fund was restructured as a result.

***It is another one of the positive issues Albertans have to consider as we look toward a debt-free future.***

But what about today?

In this new millennium, do we have different ideas about what we should do with our unique and valuable investment? Should we continue to save?

What should we save for? Should we spend more of the Fund?

What would we spend it on?

These are the questions we should be thinking about when it comes time to participate in the Future Summit Premier Klein talked about earlier this year.

It is another one of the positive issues Albertans have to consider as we look toward a debt-free future.

I hope you will take the time to contemplate what role the Heritage Fund should play in Alberta and what Alberta should look like in the future and participate when the Future Summit gets started. We can expect to hear about this soon.



***Truly Canadian ...***

The RCMP Musical Ride made a stop in Olds last week to showcase a great Canadian tradition.



***Home help donation ...***

Anne Milne, Ev Peters and Lois Wright get together for a presentation Peters made on behalf of the Household Goods Thrift Store to Didsbury Home Help. Home Help's mission is to empower and assist seniors to enhance their quality of life. The group's new location is in the Westerdale building, just east of the post-office.



## AGRICULTURE

# Alberta Environmental Farm Plan initiative moves forward

With a spring 2002 launch in mind, an industry led initiative is making progress towards developing an Environmental Farm Plan (EFP) for Alberta. A broadly based steering committee of 13 representatives from different commodity sectors and other interest groups such as Ducks Unlimited, Alberta Environment and the Environmental Law Centre, are helping set the framework around delivery and funding issues," explains John Kolk, Committee Chair and AESA (Alberta Environmentally Sustainable Agriculture) Council.

Discussions so far with the leadership in a number of different commodity groups, and people who service the farm sector are very positive. "There is a high level of awareness about the need for a farm level EFP assessment process, and almost everyone has encouraged us to put time and effort into developing an Alberta EFP," says Kolk. "There is recognition that having a good sense of the risks that each farm operation faces is likely going to be an entryway into the marketplace, maybe not next year, but certainly within five years."

Over the past few months, several commodity organizations, interest groups, and individuals have shared their ideas about an Alberta EFP. In March, the Ontario Soil and Crop Improvement Association

visited Alberta and shared their experience with over 150 industry and government representatives. The EFP working group has made presentations to 26 different organizations over the spring and summer. An additional 86 questionnaires have been completed and returned.

Based on questions raised through consultations, the Environmental Law Centre is also preparing a report on potential exposure to liability through participating in the EFP process.

One of the priorities of the EFP Committee is to expand their partnerships. "We're off to a pretty good start, but we're going to need support and time commitments from municipalities, Agriculture Service Boards, commodity groups and other environmental and farm groups that want to see Alberta farmers lead in the EFP area," explains Kolk.

Currently, the key focus is

on developing the EFP workbook. "We have over 40 people involved in rewriting the Ontario Manual to address Alberta issues and legislation," says Kolk. "From our consultations, we realized we needed to include an additional module on pasture and forages in the manual, as this is a key component of the Alberta industry."

Trying to build some consistency across Canada is one of the reasons Alberta is using the Ontario manual as a model. Alberta will be involved in discussions over the next year between the federal government and the provinces and territories to see what EFPs are going to look like across the country.

"By using the Ontario model, we end up with an EFP that is consistent across Canada, but still has the local industry input that's really important to Alberta farmers,"

adds Kolk.

A pilot project will be launched this fall to test this manual with producers from across the province who represent different commodities.

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## AGRICULTURE

# Alberta Farm Water Program fine-tuned for drought

Recent changes to the Alberta Farm Water Program (AFWP) make it more responsive to the needs of Alberta farmers who continue to deal with drought conditions.

The \$20 million program, announced in June by Alberta Agriculture, Food and Rural Development, is intended to develop a long-term approach to drought management for farmers.

"The changes do not alter the basic objective of the program, but in some cases, they do increase the maximum available payment for some farmers and make some previously ineligible ex-

penses, eligible under the program," says Lloyd Andruchow, the head of Alberta Agriculture, Food and Rural Development's program policy branch. "As originally announced, the program will cover one-third of eligible development costs for those projects that qualify, and for the majority of applicants, the maximum payment will be \$5,000."

Andruchow says that there are four major areas of change to the program. They include changes to multi-household projects, large farms/intensive livestock operations, water co-op pipeline membership fees and non-domestic,

emergency water hauling.

If a project involves the development of a new water system for domestic use in a multi-household farmyard, additional funding is now available. An extra \$1,000 per additional house, to a maximum of five households per farm unit, is available on one-third share of eligible costs.

"For example, a farmyard with two houses connected to a new water supply project costing \$18,000 is now eligible for \$6,000; the original \$5,000, plus an extra \$1,000 for the second house," explains Andruchow.

To qualify for this additional funding, you must complete the AFWP Supplementary Application - Multi-households form.

The second change to the program affects producers who own large farms and intensive livestock operations. Originally, they were eligible for up to \$5,000 based on one-third of the water development cost.

This still applies to producers with 999 or less animal units. However, with the recent changes, producers with 1,000 to 1,999 animal units are now eligible for up to \$10,000 and operations with 2,000 to 2,999 animal units are now eligible for up to \$15,000.

There is no maximum payment under this portion of the program. Applicants need to fill out the AFWP Supplementary Application - Large Operations form to qualify.

The third change to the program relates to water co-op pipeline member-

ship fees.

"The AFWP always shared the construction cost for an individual farmer to bring a line from the main trunk to a yard site, but now applicants are also eligible to claim the membership and connection fees as well," says Andruchow.

Applicants to this portion of the program are required to fill out the AFWP Supplementary Application - Water Co-ops form.

The fourth change to the program deals with non-domestic, emergency water hauling. If farmers have exhausted all the possibilities for water development and are forced to haul water for agricultural purposes, they can now submit their receipts to the AFWP. An example would be where there was no surface water to pump from and no ground water to drill into.

"To claim for water hauling expenses under the program, the AFWP Supplementary Application - Emergency - Water Hauling form must be completed by the applicant and it must be reviewed and signed by Alberta Agriculture, Food and Rural Development's water specialist in the area," explains Andruchow. "Once the water specialist has signed the form, the applicant must sign the form in front of a Commissioner of Oaths."

The deadlines for the program remain unchanged. It runs from January 1, 2001 to March 31, 2002. Applicants have until May 31, 2002 to submit their applications. Receipts must accompany each application.

## ALBERTA CROP REPORT

## Harvesting 61 per cent done

The harvest advanced considerably this past week. An average of one tenth of an inch of rain didn't deter the combines. It wasn't enough to encourage fall work either. Overall, the provincial soil surface moisture continues to be rated as poor. Harvest across the province advanced to 61 percent done, up from 52 percent the previous week and 46 percent a year ago.

The harvest is just about complete in the southern part of the province. Agricore staff throughout the south say cereals are pretty well all in the bin with just some oats, canola and flax left to come. Staff at Stirling report cereal yields between 10 and 25 bushels per acre. Near Agricore's Cassils elevator, the only thing left is alfalfa seed and grass. At Dunmore, farmers have cleaned up their cereals and specialty crops are 90 percent done. So far in that area, there's very little fall seeding as farmers wait for much needed rain.

Good harvest weather in central Alberta this past week allowed most farmers to all but finish up at least the cereals. Agricore staff at Stettler say the harvest there is about 95 percent over. There's still some late seeded wheat, barley and canola left. Farmers are waiting for the canola to ripen. If the weather holds, all three crops should be cleaned up by the end of the week. At Provost, staff report the harvest is complete. In the nearby Chauvin/Edgerton area, there's about 20 percent of the crop still to take off. Near Agricore's Legacy Junction elevator, many farmers are struggling to time their canola harvest to minimize green seed. That's a challenge because much of the canola in the area germinated unevenly. Some farmers are finding frost has downgraded their cereals.

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#### Nature of the Applications

An application has been filed with the EUB by the Town of Didsbury (the Town) for approval to renew its electric distribution franchise agreement (the Agreement) with UtiliCorp Networks Canada (Alberta) Ltd. (UNCA). The Agreement gives UNCA the exclusive right to deliver electric power to the residents of the Town until December 31, 2011.

The terms of the Agreement have changed substantially from previously approved franchise agreements. Some of the noteworthy changes include payment by UNCA of a franchise fee in addition to linear taxes, a change in responsibility for utility relocation costs caused by municipal purposes, provision of extra services, changes respecting street lighting investment matters, options for purchase of the distribution system by the municipality, and provisions respecting third party use of the distribution system.

The Agreement has been based on a standard electric franchise agreement negotiated by the Alberta Urban Municipalities Association for use by all municipalities in the province. The standard electric franchise agreement has been reviewed by the EUB.

The level of franchise fee is a matter that is specifically negotiated between a municipality and the utility at the time a distribution agreement is entered into, renewed or amended. This Agreement requires UNCA, for the first time, to pay the Town a franchise fee for use of municipal rights of way. Previously UNCA was only required to pay the Town a linear tax payment assessed against UNCA's property located within the Town. All linear taxes are currently recovered through UNCA's general rates. Franchise fees are recovered as a separate utility charge on customer billings within the Town of Didsbury.

The proposed franchise fee would initially be set at 0 per cent of UNCA's gross revenues. However, the Agreement allows the Town to increase the level of the franchise fee at its own discretion on an annual basis, without any further review by the EUB. The Agreement does not allow the Town to impose a franchise fee above 5 per cent. Therefore, if the Town implemented the maximum franchise fee at current rates for distribution, the fee would add about \$1.53 to the monthly billing of an average residential customer in the Town. An average residential customer uses about 625 kWh per month. UNCA has applied to the EUB for approval to revise its rates so that the franchise fee included in the Agreement can be recovered from retailers providing service to customers within the Town of Didsbury. UNCA bills retailers for its delivery charges and these would include the franchise fee, if approved. Retailers bill customers for all charges of UNCA in addition to their energy charges. The franchise fee is required to be billed as a separate rider on electric billings.

#### Additional Information

To obtain additional information or a copy of the applications, contact:

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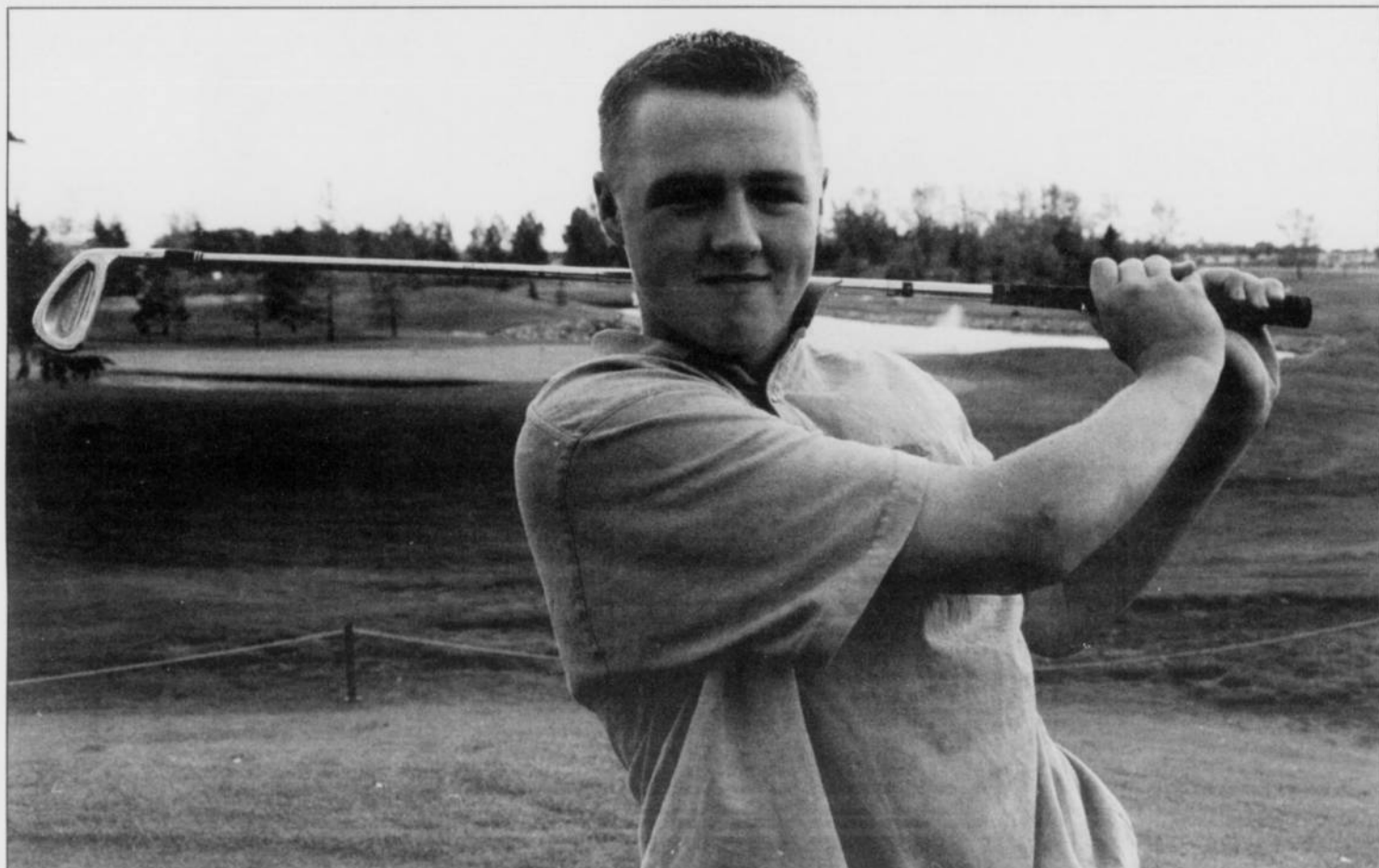
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# Sports & Entertainment

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## GOLF



Mike Williams finishes a practice stroke a few days after qualifying for the provincial tournament.

photo by Richard Westlund

## High school golfers qualify for provincial tourney

**Didsbury's Mike Williams finishes second carding a round of 77.**

by Barry Williams

Local high school golfers tore up the links of the Water Valley Golf Course in the South Central Zone high school qualifying tournament held on Mon. Sept. 16.

Led by the individual efforts of Nicole Forshner, of Sundre High School, and Mike Williams, of Didsbury High School, ten Chinook's Edge students qualified for the Alberta High School Athletic Association 1A/2A provincial golf tournament being held at Barrhead and Westlock from Sept. 23-24. Results of the tournament were not known at press time.

Forshner, a member of the Sundre Golf and Country Club, paced the girls division with a thirteen stroke victory over Julie Shierman, of Beiseker, by shooting an 80, while Williams, a member of the Carstairs Community Golf Club, placed second in the boys division by

carding a 77, one stroke behind Ryan Gordon of Oilfields High School in Black Diamond. Gordon shot a 76 and finished ahead of Williams. Justin Jones, of Hugh Sutherland High School in Carstairs, and Gary Cowan, of Oilfields High School in Black Diamond. Jones, Cowan and Williams all carded 77's and were involved in a one hole play-off to determine the second qualifier for the provincials in the boys division. Williams won the extra hole by a stroke.

For the third consecutive year, the Sundre girls golf team walked off the greens with the zone championship by shooting a combined score of 288 four strokes ahead of Beiseker with an aggregate score of 292.

Members of the victorious Sundre team were Kaylin Orr, Brittany Rock, Naomi Fisher and Nicole Forshner.

Meanwhile, the contingent

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- Henry Paulguard,  
Golf Coach

from Hugh Sutherland High School won the boys division with an aggregate score of 244. Members of the team included, Justin Jones, Josh Feagan, Tyler Stewart and Brandon Aarsby. Oilfields High School placed second with a combined score of 246, while the Didsbury team of Mike Williams, Greg Overguard, Aaron Herald and Kyle Christensen fired a combined score of 249 to place fourth. The Sundre foursome consisting of Greg Meservia,

Dale Rock, Brodie Bennett and Jordan Bargholz finished with a 277 score. The Didsbury girls team consisting of Stacey Jensen, Denise Papeneau, Lindsay Poffenroth and Jody Dalziel fired a combined score of 249. Cremona High School was represented by two golfers, Kailley Setter and Karen Leask. "Actually winning the boys team title was a bit of surprise to our team," said Henry Paulguard, a teacher at Hugh Sutherland High School.

"Since the zone covers a large area, the championship tournament attracts excellent golfers," he added.

"I thought the scores were excellent in this tournament and to have ten players from the County of Mountain View going to the provincial championships is quite an accomplishment for this area," he noted.

"Overall the tournament was quite competitive and went very well," said Wes Cummings, a teacher at Sundre High School. "The staff at Cremona School and at the Water Valley Golf course should be congratulated for putting on an excellent tournament," he added.

Results of the 3A zone golf championship tournament were not known at press time.

The winning team and the top two individual golfers in both the girls and boys division qualified for the provincial tournament.



AJHL

# Grizzlies building character with early season wins

by Barry Williams

Team character can be described and demonstrated in different ways.

In their most recent victories in Alberta Junior Hockey League action played at the Olds sportsplex this past weekend, the Grizzlies proved the wins were based on true character coming from behind to post the victories.

On Fri. Sept. 21, the Grizzlies sharpshooters were blazing as they doubled the Lloydminster Blazers 8-4, while on Sat. Sept. 22, the Grizzlies won an exciting 6-5 shoot-out victory over the Calgary Canucks.

In the first encounter the Grizzlies fell behind early in the contest as the Blazers built a 2-0 lead within four minutes of play and skated away with a 3-1 margin after one period of play. From the drop of the puck to commence the second stanza, the Grizzlies took control taking a 4-3 margin into the middle period intermission. With the Blazers being whistled for several infractions in the final stanza, the Grizzlies power play took over netting two goals in a four goal outburst. The only reason, the score was close during the first two periods was mainly due to the play of Blazers' netminder, Jason Castonguay, who turned aside 41 shots directed his way as the Grizzlies dominated the offensive play peppering the Blazers' net with shot after shot. The beleaguered netminder ended the game with 53 saves, while Grizzlies' tender Nathan Lawson turned aside 41 shots.

Eight different players shared in the Grizzlies' scoring as Tyler Hilbert, Sean Offers, Steve Sato, Ryan

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-Brett Cox,  
Grizzly Coach

Barnett, Bruce  
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Huddy and Brent Kisio  
dented the twine.

Meanwhile, the Canucks struck with two power play goals and an even strength marker in the first period skating to a 3-0 lead at the end of the stanza. During the first period intermission the

Grizzlies regrouped coming into the second frame as a revitalized team scoring four goals. At the conclusion of the period the teams were deadlocked at four goals apiece. Mid way through the third period, Rob Cowan gave the Grizzlies a 5-4 lead which lasted until the 19:59 mark at which time the Canucks' Dave Neilson notched a

goal sending the match into overtime. With neither team scoring in the extra session, the game went into a five man shoot-out which the Grizzlies won 3-2.

Rounding out the scoring for the Grizzlies were, Ryan Barnett, Steve Sato, Brent Kisio and Dan Schuler.

John Haggis turned aside 28 shots in the Grizzlies' cage, while Canucks' netminder Taylor Johnson made 48 saves.

"I would say both wins were based on character," said Grizzlies' Head Coach and General Manager, Brett Cox.

"Although we were down early in each game, the players never thought they were out of them," added Cox, noting they had confidence in their scoring ability.

"The players never gave up, they just kept working hard giving an honest effort until the final buzzer," Cox said.

The two victories extended the Grizzlies winning streak to four games and brought their season record to four wins against one loss, good enough for first place in the Rogers AT&T Wireless South

Division standings.

"If the players continue to play with enthusiasm and give an honest effort with every shift, we will continue to win our share of games," concluded Cox.

Grizzlies next home action is on Thursday Sept. 27 against the Fort McMurray Oil Barons and on Tues. Oct. 2 against the Canucks.

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Coffee & refreshments will be provided. A short program will be presented at 3:00 p.m. No gifts please.

## OBITUARIES

**RAY** - Lillie Ray passed away in Didsbury, September 14, 2001 at the age of 91 years. Lillie was born at the home of her parents, Martin & Julia Larson in Ward County, North Dakota on November 12, 1909. When she was two years old, the family moved to Entwistle, Alberta where they resided for many years before moving by covered wagon to the Cremona-Garfield district. On August 24, 1929, Lillie married Glenn Ray and shortly after moved to a homestead near Endako, BC where they farmed until 1935. They returned to Alberta to farm in the Garfield district until their retirement to Didsbury in 1987. Lillie is survived by her two sons, Leon (Doris) Ray of Fraser Lake, BC; Cecil (Barbara) Ray of Red Deer, daughter, Doreen (Fred) Allen of Carstairs; 15 grandchildren; 31 great-grandchildren and 2 great-great grandchildren; three brothers, Harold Larson of Ponoka; Lief (Violet) Larson of Vanderhoof, BC; John Larson of Fraser Lake, BC; two sisters, Agnes Reed of Fraser Lake, BC; Esther (Keith) LePoidevin of Fraser Lake, BC; three sisters-in-law, Cecile Larson of Olds, Eileen Ray of Carstairs; Hazel Youngs of Carstairs; as well as numerous nieces and nephews. Lillie was predeceased by her husband of 70 years, Glenn Ray; one son, Gale Ray; one daughter, Carol Bellamy; five brothers, Marvin Larson (in infancy), Clarence Larson, Carl Larson, Herman Larson, Edwin Larson; two sisters, Mabel MacDonald and Mary Bellamy. Memorial services were held on Wednesday, September 19, 2001 at 2:00 p.m. from the Knox United Church in Didsbury with Reverend Malcolm Proffitt officiating. Cremation. Memorial tributes may be made directly to the Knox United Church Memorial Fund or the charity of one's choice. Mountain View Funeral Chapels, Didsbury, entrusted with arrangements.

**ROSENKE, Harold (Harry)** - passed away at home on September 10, 2001 after a long battle with cancer. Harry was born on July 1, 1929, at Flowing Well, Sask., the youngest of ten children born to Henry and Olga Rosenke. As a young man Harry moved to Jumping Pound, Alberta where he worked as a ranch hand. While there he met his wife Pat. After managing farms near Calgary, Acme and Carstairs he settled in the Didsbury area where he owned his own farm and was a building contractor. He resided at the farm near Didsbury until passing. He is survived by his wife Pat, children: Dale of Olds and children, Jean and Greg, Linda (Jim) Olsen of Olds and daughter Julie, Lloyd (Janet) of Warburg and children Alicia (Steve), Marcia and Warren and Warren's son Jordan, Joanne (Jim) Schwass of Crossfield and children Tammy and Trevor, David (Janine) of Didsbury and children Aaron, Garret and Braedy. He is also survived by one sister, Evelyn of Swift Current, Sask. and numerous nieces and nephews. Harry was predeceased by his mother and father, six brothers, two sisters and his grandson Kevin Olsen. A memorial service to celebrate Harry's life was held at Knox United Church at 2 p.m. on September 15, 2001. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Prostate Cancer Research Fund c/o The Tom Baker Cancer Center 1331 29 Street N.W. Calgary, Alberta T2N 4N2.

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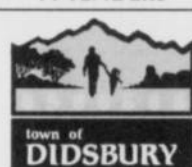
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## 41 TENDERS



The Town of Didsbury is currently seeking an energetic couple to manage and operate the Rosebud Valley Campground for the 2002 Camping season. Request for Proposal packages can be picked up at the Town Office (2037 - 19th Avenue) between 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. Monday to Friday. The deadline for submission of bids is October 5, 2001 at noon.

## TENDERS REQUIRED

**FOR**: Position of janitor at the Didsbury Curling Club  
**TERM**: Oct. 20/01 to Mar. 31/02  
**CLOSING DATE**: Friday, Oct. 12/01  
Interested parties may pick up an information package from Vanda Agencies at 2004-20th Street in Didsbury, AB, and/or please call Nick Brown at 335-8433 (res) or 335-3635 (work) to arrange an appointment to view the applicable maintenance area. Please forward tenders to the attention of: JANITORIAL COMMITTEE at DIDSBURY CURLING CLUB, BOX 843, DIDSBURY, AB, T0M 0W0.

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### DIDSBURY

#### Pot-luck Dinner

50 Club pot-luck on Wed. Oct. 12:30 p.m. Bring casserole or salad, also own dishes & cutlery. Dessert supplied. \$3.00 ea.

#### Members needed

The Didsbury Justice Committee is looking for interested people to sit on their committee. Anyone interested can contact Gord 335-4896 or Kim 335-3246

#### Food Drive

The Didsbury Lions are having their Annual Food Drive Thurs. Sept. 27 starting at 6:00 pm.

### DIDSBURY

#### Dance Lessons

Oct. 17, New Dancer Square Dance Lessons with the Olds Calico Capers begin 7:00 p.m. at The Olds Evergreen Center. Call 637-2275 or 335-4342.

#### Reed Ranch Christmas Craft Fair

Come get in the Christmas Spirit, find some gifts for your Christmas list. Nov. 3rd 1:00 - 3:30 p.m. To book a table please contact Lesley Ann Krause 556-1153

#### Floor Curling

Anyone interested in Floor Curling please contact Frank at 335-3824 or Newell at 335-9963.

### DIDSBURY

#### Meeting

West Didsbury 4-H Beef Club Organizational Meeting, Monday, Oct. 1, Westcott Hall, 7:00 p.m. Interested members welcome. Call 335-4929 for more info.

### Carstairs

#### Pumpkin Festival

17th Annual Pumpkin Festival at the Carstairs Curling Rink on Sept. 29 from 11:30 - 4:00 pm. Call Anne at 337-3555.

## ONGOING EVENTS

### CARSTAIRS

#### RECYCLING DEPOT

Carstairs Lion's Recycling Depot is open every Saturday from 9 a.m. - 12:20 p.m.

### DIDSBURY

**COMMUNITY CRISIS SOCIETY**  
Are you experiencing family violence? Please call the Crisis Shelter at 1-877-934-6634.

#### CHAMPS

"NEW" Canadian Weight Awareness - CHAMPS Clubs Inc. is a Registered Non-Profit Weight Loss Support Organization which meets weekly. We are open to Men and Ladies whom share a common concern of managing funds sensibly. For more info contact Elaine at 250-832-7671 or Jan at 250-392-5474.

#### DIDSBURY MUSEUM

New fall hours: Saturday: 1 - 5 p.m. and anytime by appointment. Please call Marg Weaver at 335-4245, Jim Neis at 335-3133 or Willard Stauffer at 335-3715.

#### CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

General Meeting-Second Monday of each month 6:30 p.m. supper, 7 p.m. meeting 335-3265. RSVP

#### DIDSBURY TOPS

Take Off Pounds Sensibly! Come and join us every Wednesday evening. For more info call Stacey at 335-4487 or Joanne at 337-2614.

#### ENVIRONMENTAL BOARD

Didsbury Environmental Advisory Board meets once every two months at the Town Office. For info call Jean at the Town Office at 335-3391.

#### TOY LIBRARY

Kidding Around Parents Club Toy Library: Open Tuesdays 10-11:30 a.m. Also Thursdays 7-8 p.m., and closed Saturdays for the summer at the Anglican Church Hall basement 2037 - 24 Ave. New members always welcome. Kern at 335-9928.

#### AA

Alcoholics Anonymous meetings. Fridays 8:30 p.m. at the Masonic Hall, Didsbury, 20 Ave. and 21 St. For information call Roxanne at 335-8322 or Rick at 335-9525.

#### TIME OUT

Mom's Time Out and Dads Too. This program is now closed for the summer months and will resume again in the September at the Lutheran Redeemer Church.

### DIDSBURY

#### KING HIRAM LODGE

King Hiram Lodge #21 has its regular meetings at 8 p.m. every 2nd Tuesday of the month. For info. call Hans Lucas at 337-2250.

#### O.E.S. MEETING

St. Hilda Chapter #27 O.E.S. has its regular meetings at 7:30 p.m. every 3rd Tuesday of the month. For info. call Kay Johnston at 335-4060.

#### GAMBLERS ANONYMOUS

Gamblers Anonymous (G.A.) starting Monday, January 22 from 7 - 9 p.m. in the Assembly Room at the Hospital Unit 4. For more information please call 335-8208.

#### SONS OF NORWAY

Sons of Norway meets the 4th Monday of every month at 8 p.m. at Evergreen Centre in Olds. All welcome. Call 556-2401 or 337-2037 for more information.

#### RECYCLING DEPOT

Didsbury Lions Recycle Centre open Mon-Fri 9 a.m. - 3 p.m. Accepting newspaper, office papers, magazines, junkmail, plastic milkjugs (please clean). Phone 335-8193. Use outside bins.

#### CASH BINGO

Didsbury Elks Cash Bingo every Tuesday. Doors open 6:00 p.m., Nickel Bingo at 6:45. Regular Bingo at 7:30 p.m. Didsbury Elks Hall.

#### DIDSBURY PRESCHOOL

We are currently accepting registrations for the 2001-2002 school year. No parent commitment or fundraising required. Call 335-8039 or 335-4697 for info.

#### LIONS

Lions Handi Bus in town service Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. Wheelchair accessible. Call Lloyd Kenyon at 335-2363.

#### INFORMATION

Mountain View La Leche League, a group which offers information and support for breastfeeding mothers. We also meet the 3rd Tuesday evenings of each month. Phone 335-8864 or 335-2331 for information and meeting location.

#### BEAVER'S

Beaver's Monday 7 - 8 p.m. at Eldon Foote Hall. Kids 5 to 7 years old, boys and girls welcome.

#### OUT OF SCHOOL CARE

Just Done For Fun out of school care program runs each school day at Ross Ford. For more information call 335-8168.

### DIDSBURY

#### AL-ANON

Al-Anon: for persons affected by someone else's drinking. Fri. 8 p.m. For more information call 337-2549, 335-9787 or 337-3762.

#### BRIDGE CLUB

Mountain View Bridge Club meets every Wednesday from 7-10 p.m. at the Masonic Star Hall, 2037-21 Avenue, Didsbury. All bridge players welcome! For more info: 335-8375 or 638-2757.

#### HALL WALKING

Adult hall walking at Westglen from 6:30 a.m. Monday to Thursday. Keep fit this winter.

#### SUPPORT GROUP

ADD/ADHD Support Group. For parents and families dealing with attention deficit disorder. For more info call Sherree 335-8612.

#### HOME HELP ASSOCIATION

The Didsbury and District Association is a locally run non-profit society attempting to co-ordinate volunteer or fee for service assistance. Call 335-4391.

#### LEARNING DISABILITIES

Learning Disabilities of Alberta, Mtn. View Chapter. Support and info for parents and teachers dealing with learning disabilities. Meet on last Tuesday of the month in lower level conference room in Physiotherapy Unit of Hospital. For info call Susan at 335-3174.

### LONE PINE

#### T.O.P.S.

Take Off Pounds Sensibly meets every Friday at 9 a.m. at Lone Pine Hall. For information call Doreen at 335-4514.

#### OLDS

#### MEETING

Adoption Support Group of Olds and area meet the 3rd Tuesday of every month. For more information contact Susan at 335-8540.

#### SUPPORT GROUP

Fibromyalgia Support Group 4th Thursday of every month. For time and place, contact Mel Terpstra 335-3527 for info.

#### SUNDRE

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS Wednesdays, 8 - 9 p.m. in the basement of the Anglican Church. Ron 638-2736.

#### ALA TEEN

Ala Teen, Sundre United Church Basement, Wednesday 7:00 p.m. More info 638-3277.

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## On ice officials sought for upcoming hockey season

Hello again everybody, it's just about time for another fun-filled, action packed hockey season and I've just got one little thing to discuss with you. Officials, and the involvement required by these individuals in order to ensure the games go on. Didsbury Minor Hockey salutes all of you and thanks you for your past involvement and looks for your involvement again in the upcoming season. The head of officials for the hockey season will be Chris Overwater.

He will be once again holding the monthly meetings in order to get the officials opinions, as well as convey the support of Didsbury Minor Hockey. All officials must be a minimum of 12 years of age as of December 15, 2001. However, Didsbury Minor Hockey is canvassing for older officials to help out the younger ones on the ice. It's a good way not only to get some exercise, earn a little cash, but also get a new perspective on hockey from an officials point of view. Anne

Thompson will be coordinating the on-ice officials for the season.

In order to maintain the level of officiating that we require the officials need to be trained and to that effect Didsbury Minor Hockey has organized a referee clinic to be held on October 20 and 21. For more information please watch in the coming events section of your local paper. Any Questions Please Call Chris Overwater: 335-8859.



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